

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Ronald F. PALERMO et al. GROUP: 1732  
APPLICATION NO: 10/718,390 EXAMINER: J. Wollschlager  
FILED: November 20, 2003 CONFIRMATION: 9732  
FOR: METHOD FOR THE AESTHETIC SURFACE TREATMENT OF A MONOLITHIC  
CONCRETE FLOOR AND PRODUCT OF THE METHOD

Mail Stop: **Amendment**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

In response to the Office Action dated April 18, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are found beginning at page 2, where the Listing of Claims to replace all prior versions and listings is found.

Remarks begin at page 7, and include a response to the restriction requirement.

In the event that additional fees are required as a result of this response, including fees for extensions of time, such fees should be charged to USPTO Deposit Account No. 50-2737 for Basch & Nickerson LLP